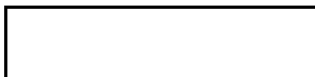


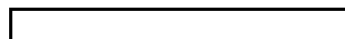
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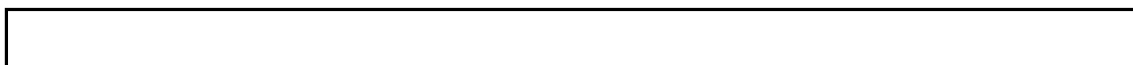
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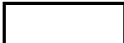
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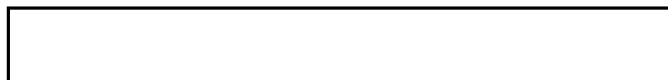


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Costa Rica: [Tensions created by the narrow presidential victory of Jose Joaquin Trejos on 6 February appear to have lessened, but precipitate action by National Liberation Party (PLN) leader Jose Figueres remains possible.]

[Costa Rica has no standing army, and Figueres fears that control of the Civil Guard will fall into the hands of his arch-enemy, Rafael Calderon Guardia, leader of the Republican Party (PR) which was one of the major partners in the coalition that sponsored Trejos. The 1,700-man guard is Costa Rica's main security force and is traditionally manned by supporters of the party in power.]

[PLN and opposition party leaders are attempting to reach a compromise, and President-elect Trejos has agreed to name at least one Civil Guard leader acceptable to the PLN.]

[Figueres has assured the US ambassador in San Jose that he will not take immediate action to forestall Trejos' inauguration but has made his acceptance of the new government contingent on satisfactory guarantees that the Calderonista faction will not gain control of a Trejos administration or the Civil Guard.]

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USSR-Cuba: The 1966 trade agreement signed on 11 February provides for a 22-percent increase in trade over last year, which may bring the total to over \$900 million. The USSR will continue to underwrite its export surplus to Cuba by providing about \$90 million worth of these goods on credit, raising its cumulative trade credits to Cuba to \$850 million. The size of the credit, about 40 percent less than in 1965, suggests that Cuba plans to fulfill its commitment to ship the USSR 3 million tons of sugar, about half its expected crop.

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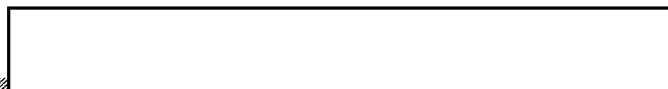
Mauritania: [Racial violence between Moors and Negroes apparently is continuing on a reduced scale, and underlying tension remains high. A curfew has been strictly enforced and two decrees issued which, in effect, impose martial law. President Moktar's government, searching for foreign scapegoats, has placed an Egyptian Embassy officer under virtual house arrest for allegedly agitating the Moors to riot and reportedly suspects the US of inciting the Negroes.]

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